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Tonight

"The Rider of Golden Bar"
Appearing Daily—Coming
"IF WINTER COMES"

BLUE RIBBON FICTION
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THE DANVILLE REGISTER

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Bring Paper
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Discipline 12 D. M. I. Cadets

Alleged Defiance of Authority by Twelve Older Students Leads to Expulsion and Other Penalties.

An incident revolt against authority at Danville Military Institute, which began on Saturday and which culminated in the expulsion of a cadet, was reported this morning, the report being later confirmed by the Commandant, Col. R. A. Burton, who admitted that a dozen cadets had been "dealt with" on the score of insubordination.

Efforts alleged to have been made to defy the authority of the commandant, and Major R. C. Rives, assistant superintendent of D. M. I., resulted in the confining to quarters of about eleven cadets, whose names were not given out, and the expulsion of Dexter Southard, of Charlottesville, Tennessee, son of a wealthy lumberman, who appears, however, to have left the institution overnight, the order of expulsion being issued today.

Recently Major Rives had issued orders about cadets driving about town and frequenting the business part of the city too often and in order of the day was issued against the practice. Some of the older boys, a dozen in number, virtually defied Major Rives, it is said, and they went out on Saturday against orders. On Sunday some of the cadets are said to have been unwilling to enter church formation, church attendance being compelled once on the Sabbath—the cadets being privileged to choose the denominational character of the church. On Sunday, therefore, Col. Burton confined the twelve cadets to bounds this to be effective for several days. On Monday, which is a holiday, the story goes, several of the youths who were disciplined, went out against orders and last night they are said to have waited as a body on the commandant to ask what punishment they were to receive. Col. Burton is said to have told them to report to their quarters for the night, adding that their fate would be made known to them today. Two or three of the cadets are thereupon said to have stated that they would leave the institution. Col. Burton then ordered those who made this threat to go to their dormitories and to carry down their trunks to the commandant's office and this was promptly done. Dexter Southard, who would graduate this year, is said to have left the college during the night, it being claimed that he was a defiant of authority. Col. Burton apparently has no right to expel a student, it is understood that penalties amounting to twenty hours of work on the campus will be imposed on those alleged to have defied the authority of the commandant.

Col. Burton admitted that there had been some trouble and a defiant attitude manifested, but declared that today the situation is fully controlled and that the school authorities have granted no quarter to those involved.

Cameron Cromwell, another of the cadets, left the institution today for his home in Norfolk. His version of the episode was that on Sunday some of the cadets were half a minute late for church formation and that as a result they were confined to bounds for two days. On Monday they broke bounds, about 14 of them, and that they had been penalized by 40 hours guard duty, the regular punishment being three demerits and three hours' guard duty.

Early this afternoon, Col. Burton stated over the telephone that he expelled two more cadets. He gave their names as E. C. Cromwell, of Norfolk, and William Burns, of Anniston, Ala. Col. Burton said that they were expelled because they had been expressly warned not to leave the campus, but that they had left this morning, failing to attend classes.

Spring, Tra-La, Is Here, Also Snow

Spring arrived today at 4:49 o'clock in the morning according to the scientists and other meteorological wizards who have been able to work out a regular schedule of the season. It was not a mild or blushing one and there was nothing about it conducive to the Spring poet to tune up his lyre and to burst forth into song. As a matter of fact at ten minutes to noon it was snowing, but it was only really observant people who saw the miniature flakes and they did not last longer than a minute.

According to the far-seeing almanac writers there will be no more snow and no more biting frosts, in fact there is every promise of pleasant weather.

Mathilde's Mother Goes On Record

(By The Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, March 21.—Edith Rockefeller McCormick, daughter of John D. Rockefeller, Sr., and whose daughter, Mathilde, will marry Max Oser, Swiss horseman, while addressing a meeting of women's organizations today declared that if woman were to guide her own clan she will be a slave and that history proves it.

Put Time Limit On Returning Of Dead

(By The Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, March 21.—Requests from nearest relatives for the return of the American dead overseas will not be favorably considered after March 31st, the War Department announced today.

Anderson Income Tax Amendment Helps All Payers

was visited in Richmond by a member of the council who urged him to change his point of view.

Major Anderson also was opposed to the bond issue for roads. He believes that the state has immediately available \$10,000,000 which he believes to be an amount large enough to be administered by the highway commission. It is to be wisely and judiciously applied. In a year or two when economic conditions are better, it may be then wise to have a bond issue. With the state of Virginia meeting bonds today, issuing during the past half century an enormous sum in being spent, he says and he is prone to believe that the overburdening of posterity with bonds is a bad practice.

Major Anderson today showed a reporter the pile of bills introduced in both branches of the legislature. The stack of printed bills was more than a foot high, about 300 being introduced in the Senate and an equal amount in the House. He said that reach the point of discussion, much about half of the number did not even less action.

Insects Swept Into Alps By Windstorm

(By The Associated Press.)
GENEVA, March 21.—During a heavy snowstorm recently in the Alps thousands of exotic insects resembling spiders, caterpillars, huxes ants, fell on the slopes and quickly died. Naturalists say the phenomenon is result of wind blowing them from a warmer climate.

FUNERAL OF MRS. DIX.

The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Ferrell Dix, who died in North Danville was chancelled yesterday, took place yesterday afternoon from the home on Church street. It being conducted by Rev. J. R. Wilson and Rev. J. Clyde Holland. The body was taken to Mayfield, N. C., where the interment took place. The pall-bearers were S. T. Mastin, W. W. Fitzgerald, H. L. Drumwright, A. T. Russell, W. A. Owens and J. M. Parker.

Morgan's Son To Join British Bank

(By The Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, March 21.—J. S. Morgan, Jr., son of J. P. Morgan, is to be associated in the British branch of the Morgan banking firm in England.

Dog Inherits Flat Building



"Beauty," mother of two pups, inherits a 20-apartment building in Chicago from the late Mrs. Sadie Howard. Relatives are contesting the will. Dorothy Basham is shown here with the canine heirs.

Immunity For Staunton Men Very Unlikely

Federal Commissioner Declines to Accept Grubert's Resignation and Awaits Report of Fulwiler.

By GEORGE H. MANNING
WASHINGTON, March 21.—Prohibition Commissioner Haynes was awaiting with interest today the arrival of Director Fulwiler in his personal investigation of the whiskey "ring" at Staunton that brought about a jail and fine sentence for Tom Tisdale, who operated the still for a "company" of prominent men, who were all dismissed after being allowed to furnish testimony that gave them immunity.

Fulwiler's report, supposed to have been mailed to Washington last night, had not arrived up to noon and the next official mail was not due to arrive until 3 o'clock.

The resignation of William A. Grubert, of Staunton, one of the "master minds" of the Staunton "company," as one of the principal assistants to Director Fulwiler was received here yesterday, but has not been accepted. It is altogether unlikely that it will be. Grubert will probably be "fired" for cause.

In his resignation received by Commissioner Haynes yesterday, Grubert denied any guilt in connection with the Staunton whiskey ring; but said that rather than embarrass Director Fulwiler he would offer his resignation. He had intended resigning April 1st anyway, he said.

The claim of Grubert that he had intended resigning April 1st, anyway, regardless of whether the Staunton affair had come to the surface to expedite it, was confirmed today by Assistant Commissioner Jones.

Director Fulwiler, accompanied by Congressman Sloop, called at the commissioner's office about a month ago and suggested the retaining of a legal assistant at the Richmond head-quarters at about \$4,000 a year. Fulwiler explained that the change would place no financial burden on his office because two of his assistants planned to resign April 1st. Without this confirmation Grubert's assertion that he had planned to resign April 1st, anyway, looked rather "fishy."

"We never accept at par the statement of anybody accused of violating the law, but we make our own investigation. We cannot now accept the unsupported statement of Grubert any more than we could the unsupported statement of Tisdale that Grubert is guilty along with a half dozen other very prominent Staunton men. If we find by investigation that Grubert had any connection with the Staunton 'company,' his resignation will not be accepted, but he will be dismissed from the service."

"As soon as we get Director Fulwiler's report we shall decide on steps to prosecute the five or six others connected with the case. If there is sufficient ground, we cannot now accept the unsupported statement of Grubert any more than we could the unsupported statement of Tisdale that Grubert is guilty along with a half dozen other very prominent Staunton men. If we find by investigation that Grubert had any connection with the Staunton 'company,' his resignation will not be accepted, but he will be dismissed from the service."

Say Ireland On Verge Of Civil War

(By The Associated Press.)
LONDON, March 21.—Only a little more is needed to start a civil war in Ireland, say morning papers.

Alcohol Making Plant Is Closed

(By The Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, March 21.—The local plant of the United States Industrial Alcohol company was closed temporarily by Federal prohibition officials today, pending an investigation of the manufacture of alcohol.

Notebook Clears Up Store Robbery

being charged with receiving and concealing stolen goods. The trials will be held in the police court tomorrow morning.

Police Officers Coward and Morgan discovered the robbery early Sunday morning just a short time after it occurred. The proprietor and employees of the store did not leave until almost midnight and it was shortly after one o'clock when the two officers passed the place and as is customary, they pushed on the door to ascertain if it was locked. The front door was locked all right but when Morgan turned on his flashlight through the glass he saw that the rear door was standing open. However, no trace of the thieves could be found at that time. Clothes, including several suits of clothes, overcoat, shoes and other articles were found missing by the owner. Officers investigated Monday but they had no time on which to work and likelihood of apprehending the thieves was considered slight.

Many Efforts To Evade Quarantine Prove Unavailing

WINCHESTER, Va., March 20.—Winchester is determined to enforce its quarantine laws at all hazards and this accounts for the ride of "Boots" Lavender, a negro, from Charlestown, W. Va., to Winchester in the city's garbage cart.

Lavender tired of the smallpox quarantine about a week ago and took French leave. He was caught by a railroad conductor and looked up in a train compartment. He crawled through a car window only to be recaptured later and placed in the Winchester detention house.

But he tore out the floor of his prison and handcuffs were brought into use. Winchester health officers were notified and the garbage wagon was dispatched.

Deputies armed with shotguns with bayonets attached are on guard around Lavender's home today.

Small Pox Deaths In Virginia Grow

WASHINGTON, March 20.—An increase in deaths from smallpox in Virginia is shown in a report of the Department of Commerce, bureau of census, from the registration area for 1920.

There were 12 deaths from smallpox in 1920 as compared with nine in 1919. However, this is 0.5 per 100,000 population. There were fewer fatalities among negroes, there being only three deaths reported in 1920 as against nine whites.

The death rate from this cause in the death registration area of the United States was 6.6 per 100,000 population in 1920, while in 1919 it was 4.2 and in 1904, 2.1, since which time the rate for the registration area has never reached 1 per 100,000.

Much higher rates in certain cities and states, however, clearly show the danger of smallpox in an unvaccinated population must not be lost sight of, said the department's statement. "The high rate (9.2) in 1920 in Louisiana should serve as a warning."

Bids Reported To Be Satisfactory

The conference with representatives of electrical machinery manufacturers which began yesterday morning in the Municipal Hall at which time bids were opened on the \$100,000 improvement at the city electric power house continued throughout yesterday until 10 o'clock. Adjournment was taken until today when a final analysis of the complicated bids will be made. It was stated that the task of arriving at the figures of the lowest bidder was difficult because of the different methods of grouping the material on which quotations were made. The bids were described as quite satisfactory from the standpoint of view of the city and they were also said to be quite close. No contract can be awarded until a quorum of the finance committee of the city council meets.

Richmond Bank Buys Trust Co.

(Special To The Bee.)
RICHMOND, March 21.—The National State and City bank has acquired control of the Old Dominion Trust Company, according to an announcement made today. That is, the stockholders and officers of the bank have purchased the control of the trust company, and they will be operated separately and owned by the same men. The men involved in the transaction decline to give any figures regarding the sale, which is probably strong and in healthy condition.

Miller Building Is Being Re-occupied

The finishing touches are being put to the Miller building, the interior of which has been rebuilt since the fire of two months ago. The Y. W. C. A. which has been rebuilt since the fire will move back to its old quarters tomorrow. Jacob's Drug Store has been occupied and the new stock is being installed. J. F. Parker's book store will probably reopen during the course of this week. The other professional offices on the second floor are today being occupied and by the end of the week those who were burned out will probably be re-installed.

Say Tucker C. Watkins May Soon Visit City

The report is current among men of the tobacco trade that Tucker C. Watkins, of South Boston, recently elected director of warehouses in this district, will within a few days visit Danville. Efforts to pin down the rumor to a definite date were unsuccessful and one or two of the warehousemen said that they had only heard it as a "floating rumor." The report, however, is interesting in view of realization that the Co-operative Marketing Association will probably be interested owner or later in securing property here for delivery warehouses for next year's crop.

FUNERAL OF MR. LILLARD.

The funeral of Gustavus A. Lillard, who died at his home on Stokes street on Monday morning at 6 o'clock, took place this morning, the body being taken on the 10:40 a. m. train to Rufin, N. C., from which point the family burial ground four miles away was reached.

FUNERAL OF AN INFANT.

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon at two o'clock of Evelyn Virginia Taylor, the two-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Taylor, who resided on Scales street. Rev. V. G. Smith conducted the service, interment being made in Mountain View cemetery.

The Wednesday afternoon club will meet at 6 o'clock tomorrow, at which time John Thomas Watson will give a discourse on Venetian and the Greek situation. Each member may take a guest.

Attempt to Kill Chinese Minister

Negress Slays Her Husband at Gretna

Margaret Carter, a negress, living near Gretna, was indicted by the grand jury of the Pittsylvania Circuit court yesterday charged with the murder of her husband Sam Carter, a few days ago near Gretna. It is not known if she will be tried at the present term but the view prevails that the case will be continued in order to give the accused time to formulate a defense.

Details of the murder have not been learned. The woman was alone with her husband at the time she shot him and she has not made any statement so far as known beyond admission of the crime, which would shed light on the affair. The woman was apprehended by the Charlottesville authorities and was lodged in Chatham jail. Judge Richard S. Ker, of Staunton, is presiding over the present term of court because there are many cases in which Judge Turner Clement was interested as attorney before his election to the bench. It is expected that the term will last for two weeks as the docket is heavy. Yesterday was devoted to grand jury work and numerous indictments alleging violation of the Mapp act were returned.

Reidsville Girl Sleeps Three Weeks

An unusual case of prolonged sleep which has puzzled doctors of North Carolina, is reported from Reidsville where Miss Irene Smith, aged 15, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Smith, has just awakened from a three weeks' sleep which had the symptoms of sleeping sickness. The case baffled the physicians of that locality it is said, and she was removed to a hospital in Winston where she was treated by Dr. Parrott, who is quoted as saying that in thirty years of medical experience he had never encountered a similar case. The young woman appears to have lapsed with any warning into a long sleep, during which time she was given nourishment. Her restoration to normal appears to have been gradual and three days after she came to herself she was able to sit up and write letters. She has now returned to Winston where she is teaching school, apparently none the worse for her long sleep.

Judge Spirited From His Home

(By The Associated Press.)
DALLAS, March 21.—Judge J. A. Pelt, 63, was spirited from his home today by unmasked men. On resisting he was clubbed with a pistol. A man answering the jurist's description was seen jumping from a Gulf Coast train at midnight with a coating of tar and feathers.

Lloyd George Will Ask For Showdown

Negro Robbers Are Held For The Grand Jury

A hearing was given George Scott and Will Massey, two negroes charged with breaking into and robbing two Union Street stores several nights ago, this morning and their cases were sent to the grand jury. The negroes were arrested the day following the robbery of the New York pool room and Kopley's clothing store. It was alleged that both made a complete confession at the time of their arrest. This was not the case this morning. Scott entered a denial, and Massey, who was taking all the blame, said that Scott had nothing to do with said that he went into the places alone.

British Premier Has Agreed to Ask for Vote of Confidence in House of Commons

(By The Associated Press.)
LONDON, Mar. 21.—Premier Lloyd George has determined to ask for a vote of confidence either from the House of Commons or the Unionist party, the morning newspapers agree.

Pacific Mills Order Cut In Operatives' Pay

(By The Associated Press.)
LAWRENCE, Mass., March 21.—The Pacific mills, a cotton worsted plant employing ten thousand people, today announced a wage reduction of approximately 20 per cent. This is the first cut in the big textile center since the wage reduction movement began.

Four Arraigned For Disorders

(By The Associated Press.)
COLUMBIA, S. C., March 21.—Four men were arraigned today charged with an assault with intent to kill on a woman, the wife of a local official, yesterday. An attempt to operate the cars will be made today. Governor Cooper says he will provide protection.

Dr. Wiedfeldt Is Made Ambassador

(By The Associated Press.)
BERLIN, March 21.—Dr. Otto Ludwig Wiedfeldt, has been appointed German ambassador to the United States. Dr. Wiedfeldt is reputed among the wealthiest Germans, and is released of head directorate of the Rupp works so that he might accept the post.

Reaches U. S. Senate Danville P. O. Fight

Senator Swanson Attacks Republican Methods and Says Lumpkin Is Ineligible.

Frank D. Lumpkin, postmaster of Danville, would not admit today that his chances of retaining the Danville postmastership have been seriously jeopardized by the outcome of the matter on the floor of the Senate. Mr. Lumpkin expressed the belief that he is being discriminated against and friends of the acting postmaster intimated that the matter will eventually find its way to President Harding through Congress.

(By GEORGE H. MANNING.)
WASHINGTON, March 20.—A vigorous attack on the Republican methods of appointing postmasters in Virginia was made in the Senate today by Senator Swanson. The Republicans are grossly violating President Harding's executive order and the civil service laws and regulations relating to postmaster appointments, he declared.

Boy Held On Murder Charge

(By The Associated Press.)
LONDON, March 21.—Henry Jacob, 19, pantry boy at the hotel where Lady Alice White was fatally injured Monday night, was arraigned today on a charge of murder. It is alleged he confessed striking her with a hammer.

Car Crashes Into Traffic Signal

A Ford car, owned by Alexander Stephens, of near Blair, and a Street car were in collision at the corner of Craghead and Patton streets this morning shortly after 11 o'clock. The car was injured, although the auto was badly damaged and had to be taken to a repair shop.

The machine came out of Patton street and first crashed into the traffic signal in the middle of Craghead street, tearing the sign down and bringing the car to a stop. A street car was also coming up Craghead and before this could be stopped, crashed into the standing Ford. Traffic was held up for a few minutes until the auto could be pulled away.

—Miss Mary Neal, who has been quite ill for the past 10 days, underwent an operation for appendicitis at Mission Hospital at Asheville, N. C., last Saturday night. The operation was successful and Miss Neal is doing well.

PYRON-CRANFORD.

The friends of the contracting parties will doubtless read with interest and congratulations the marriage of Charles E. Pyron and Miss Ella A. Cranford. The ceremony was solemnized at the residence of Rev. J. Clyde Holland, on North Main street, last night at 8 o'clock in the presence of a few relatives and friends. The bride, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cranford, was suitably attired in a suit of blue tulle and appeared with her usual personal attractiveness. The groom is a young mechanic, held in high esteem by his friends. Those witnessing the ceremony were: Officer Roy A. Adams and wife, Miss Ida Cranford and J. C. Cranford, Mr. and Mrs. Pyron will make their home in this city.

Work On Masonic Temple Stopped Only Temporarily

The action of Parks & Co., contractors for the construction of the ten-story Masonic Temple and office building at Main and Union streets yesterday in dismantling the engine erected over the Main street pavement and heretofore used in hoisting materials used in construction and the loading of the big boiler on a truck, gave rise to the impression in many quarters that the contractors and the Masonic Building Corporation had disagreed and that work on the structure might be indefinitely suspended.

An inquiry from authoritative sources, however, developed the fact that work had been temporarily suspended by the full force engaged in the building the walls of the ninth story of the building because it was necessary to wait the arrival of the material, particularly structural steel, required in the further progress of construction. Some days ago it became known that the supervising architect, T. H. Farris, and Plumber Wiseman, member of the building committee and officer of the building corporation, had discovered that certain steel beams of the same size used in ninth story construction did not meet the specification in the matter of dimensions of these beams or up-rights. Later a similar discrepancy between the walls and the steel girders to be laid in the space covering the old alley-way in rear of the temple was discovered.

In checking up the materials required by the specification in the architect's plans which are the basis of the contract, it was found by the supervising architect that certain steel beams purchased from the Morse Iron works, of Wheeling, W. Va., were too light. The general contractors, Parks & Co. of Chattanooga, were not aware of nor responsible for the discrepancies discovered and when apprised of them promptly halted further construction in order to await the arrival of steel supplies that will command approval. The old steel beams originally shipped higher and hauled to the scene had to be returned and the new beams were shipped to the date when the steel will arrive has been made.

Meanwhile the steam engine which has been used in hoisting and handling heavy material used in building the dizzy heights at which they are to be used will be superseded by an electrical hoisting device to be installed in the interval inevitable while awaiting materials.

It is specifically denied that any disagreement between the building corporation and the general contractor has occurred. Incidentally, it has developed that the supervision of construction for and on behalf of the building corporation is both efficient and alert and there is ample assurance that the contractors of the building are going to get what they have contracted for.

COMMENCEMENT FOR TUNSTALL

Tunstall district is to have a seventh-grade commencement. This was definitely decided at a meeting held last Saturday at the Chamber of Commerce, at which sub-committees were appointed to look after special features of the affair. The matter had already been outlined at an earlier meeting of the teachers of the district. Those present at Saturday's meeting were Miss Brimmer, Miss Cheyney, Miss Haley, Miss Elizabeth White and G. A. Jordan. The questions of place and time were discussed, but no final decision was reached. A program committee was chosen as follows: Mrs. Beverley Cheyney, Miss Haley, Miss Elizabeth White and G. A. Jordan. The questions of place and time were discussed, but no final decision was reached. A program committee was chosen as follows: Mrs. Beverley Cheyney, Miss Haley, Miss Elizabeth White and G. A. Jordan.

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This week's program at the Majestic started off with a rush last night, being pronounced by many who saw the show as the best "variety" that has appeared in Danville this year.

Billy "Bumps" Mack, the dancing comedian, was the big sensation of the evening. His antics were original, unusual and thrilling and he was frequently encored.

Harry De Grace, in novelty chair-balancing act, was another strong feature of the program. His tricks are difficult, but the performer handled them well and drew a big hand.

Daisy De Grace, wife of the acrobat, is truly 150 pounds of pep. Her act was handled with grace and vigor. The whole bill is good, the show being clean, clever and amusing—one of the best that has shown here for a long while.

SUBLETT-WEADON

A marriage of interest to friends of the contracting parties was performed Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock when Miss Magnolia Weadon, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Weadon, became the bride of Jesse W. Sublett, both well known in this city, the groom being a son of Mrs. Edith Sublett. The marriage ceremony, which took place at the parsonage of Moffat Memorial Baptist church, was performed by Rev. C. J. D. Parker, in the presence of a few relatives and friends of the young couple. Mr. and Mrs. Sublett left immediately afterward on a northern train, after which they will return to Danville to make their home.

E. L. AREY PASSES AWAY IN SALISBURY, N. C.

E. L. Arey, 75 years old, father of the late R. C. Arey, of Danville, died Monday afternoon at his home in Salisbury, N. C., being stricken with paralysis. Mr. Arey was a frequent visitor to Danville and had many friends here who will regret to learn of his death. Each of his sons were at his bedside when he passed away.

The funeral will be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

GRAND RALLY MEET A SUCCESS

The grand rally meeting of the Woodmen of the World, held at the Majestic hall last night, was a success from every point of view. State Manager Sovereign S. B. Latham, of Norfolk, Va., explained the program from beginning to end. There was a large attendance.

"MAIN STREET" AFTER TONADO HIT IT



Twenty-five were killed and 100 hurt by tornadoes sweeping through parts of Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana and Mississippi. The twisters worked the greatest havoc in the region of Gowen, Okla. This picture shows what was left of Gowen's main street after the tornado passed over.

High School Has Oratory Contest

A large and interested audience filled the High school auditorium last night from 8:15 until 11 o'clock and followed with interest and enthusiasm a series of contests in oratory, reading and debate among students of the school, designed to determine who should represent the Grove street institution at the coming State contest in oratory, declamation and debate. Elimination contests had been in progress for several weeks among representatives of various grades, and the survivors of these tests were arrayed in friendly competition last night.

In the oratory contest three contestants, all boys, appeared and each was given fifteen minutes. William Sublett was the winner of this triangular test, the judges having little difficulty in awarding him the honor on the merits of composition, thought and delivery of his address which was on a patriotic theme. He had memorized his speech and made a good impression in his delivery, despite certain minor technical defects.

Next came a reading contest, followed by one in sight reading with the same contestants in which three girls and three boys participated.

The final event of the evening was a debate on the question, "Should the State of Virginia enforce Free Text Books to All the Children in the Public Schools." The debaters had to be prepared to defend either view of the question, and their final assignment was decided by lot. George Carson Watson opened the debate for the affirmative and despite the fact that he labored under the handicap of having a voice not so well adapted to public speaking as some of the others, he systematically arranged that it weighed heavily with the judges. Miss Labinda Clement, second speaker for the negative, was easy, graceful and forceful in her delivery and had a well prepared argument. At first we thought she was assured of first rank in the debate. For the choice of the second representative of the High school at the State contest at Charlottesville, the judges, at first were divided, but finally by a majority vote awarded the honor to George Carson Watson.

It is an interesting coincidence that Miss Clement and Mr. Watson were the representatives of the High school at the State contest last year and stayed until the finish in the series of contests at Charlottesville, narrowly missing the State honor.

The judges of the debate awarded the decision as follows: The affirmative, Miss Clement and Mr. Watson. The negative, Miss Clement and Mr. Watson.

At an interval in the program of contests, Mrs. Allen Thompson, soprano, favored the audience with a delightful solo, singing in excellent voice "A Spirit Flower" and as an encore the familiar dialect selection, "Mighty Lak a Rose."

During the evening the High school orchestra played several popular selections in a manner that showed fine training in ensemble instrumentation and produced excellent effect.

Principal Sidney E. Hall presided and introduced the speakers. Separate groups judged the several contests, these being selected by members of the faculty. Apparently the decisions in every case met the approval of the majority of the audience.

Personals

—Mrs. Louisa Gill Regan has returned from a visit to relatives in N. C.

—Mrs. John G. Miller of Richmond, who has been on a visit to her sister, Mrs. T. A. Weller, has returned home.

—Mrs. F. O. Mockler, of Richmond, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Florence Huff, has returned to her home—Mrs. Mockler was the recipient of much attention while here.

—Miss Annie Herndon has returned from Washington, D. C., accompanied by her sister Miss Emily Herndon.

—Miss Mack Mowear has returned to Richmond after a pleasant visit to relatives in the city.

—Mrs. W. P. Hornner who has been quite sick at her home on Broad street has been removed to Edmund hospital where she is slowly improving.

—Miss Lizzie and Edna Smith left yesterday morning for Day Park having been called here by the serious illness of Miss Louise Smith.

—Mrs. Louis Kaufman, who has been visiting her parents in Staunton, N. C., has returned home.

—Mrs. J. A. Alverson and Miss Lottie Pruitt have returned from a week's stay in Richmond.

ARNOLD-SNOW

A marriage pretty in its simplicity, was celebrated Sunday afternoon last when Miss Mary Ellen Snow became the bride of Thomas H. Arnold.

The ceremony was performed at the residence of the Rev. J. Clyde Holland, on North Main street, and was witnessed by a large number of friends.

The bride, who has a large number of friends, was held in high esteem for her personal attractions.

The groom is a young farmer of substantial character. Among those witnessing the ceremony were: Mrs. S. Arnold, R. V. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barlow, Miss Elizabeth Arnold and Miss C. H. Thompson. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold will make their home near Pelham, N. C.

OFFICIAL DENIAL OF

PARIS, March 20.—Official denial was made by the Bulgarian government today of the report received by a Paris newspaper that the Bulgarian parliament had overthrown the Stamboulev cabinet and established a dictatorship.

"The Stamboulev cabinet is in full control of Bulgaria," an official statement issued by the legislature today.

"The false report that it had been overthrown emanated from interested sources in Vienna."

Y. M. C. A. DRIVE FOR MEMBERS BEGINS TODAY

The Y. M. C. A. membership campaign commences today under the leadership of M. O. Nelson.

The workers will meet for supper at 6:30 p. m. Each division will occupy its own table, presided over by its chairman. Following the supper, to be served by a committee of ladies, members of the Y. M. C. A., each division will retire to its room for assignments and to plan its work.

Each division will have a team of eight boys. These will work independent and under the direction of G. N. Savage. Their effort will be to secure renewals among the boys and to sign new members.

Each day the workers will report to their respective captains before the supper, the results of each team will be tabulated and the division credited with the result. As a stimulus a complimentary membership ticket has been offered to the man reporting the largest number of paid renewals.

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Another Car Seized By Police

Two Ford automobiles, alleged to have been stolen, were recovered yesterday by local police, following a comparative lull in the activities of the officers, although they have been conducting their investigations quietly and carefully. The car recovered yesterday morning was said to have been the property of a woman who lives in North Carolina and whose name could not be learned last night.

The other machine, a coupe, was found in the possession of a Mr. Arnold, of Pelham, yesterday by Police Officer W. T. Kessler, who had been handling the case. The coupe has been positively identified by F. A. Rhinehart, of Winston-Salem, who says it was stolen from that place on September 3. Mr. Rhinehart identified the machine before he had even seen it with Mr. Gravely, of Wyatt-Payne Motor company, a roaster. Mr. Gravely took it to G. W. Aaron, at the Auto Storage Battery company, to get him to sell it for him. Mr. Aaron exchanged the machine with the Crowell Auto company for a new coupe, paying the difference. The Crowell company on the same day sold the car to Mr. Arnold, of Pelham, who has had it since today to meet Friday in Cleveland to formulate a policy to be followed by the bituminous miners when work is suspended April 1st.

Officer Kessler, who suspected the car, has been busy for some time trying to keep track of it until the owner could be found and identification made. This was done yesterday and the car seized.

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NEGRO FARMER IS BURNED TO DEATH

Information was received here last night of the tragic death of Sandy River of Arthur Devlin, a respected negro farmer who was fatally burned several days ago. With his father he was burning a plant-bed for tobacco. The fire was burning briskly when Devin drove up with a load of wood in a wagon. The mule suddenly wheeled round, turned the wagon over, pitching the negro into the fire and covering him with wood. The man was burned to a crisp before his father could reach him.

SUPREME COURT WILL SETTLE LEGAL POINTS

ASHEVILLE, N. C. March 20.—The legal question of whether the 18th amendment of the Federal constitution repealed all existing state laws for the enforcement of prohibition and whether state officers or Federal officers can enforce the 18th amendment in contradiction to the fourth and fifth Federal amendments are to be settled by the Supreme court of North Carolina in the "Slim" Campbell case, attorneys announced here today.

MERE MENTION

The regular monthly meeting of Dorotha Henry chapter D. A. R. will be held Tuesday, March 21, at 8 o'clock p. m., at the home of the regent, Mrs. W. T. Hughes. A large attendance is desired.



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United States leads the world in the use of chewing gum. Canada is second and in England the sale is steadily growing.

Air-cooled engine requires heavier oil than a water-cooled motor.

RUMOR AGAINST MARTIN NAILED

It has recently been noised about that Patrolman G. M. Ewing lost his job because his immediate chief, Sergeant Martin, recommended that such action be taken by the Police Commission. From the best information obtainable this rumor is inspired by friends of the Bell faction and because so much adverse criticism has been pointed at the commission for dropping this ex-service man.

It can be stated authoritatively that Sergeant Martin spoke only in the highest terms of Officer Ewing when he was asked by members of the commission at their recent meeting as to the qualifications of Ewing as man and as an officer.

This rumor has been assiduously circulated on the streets for several days, apparently to offset any unfavorable attitude the public might take at the dropping of an officer who served with highest honor over-seas during the war, "let go" without any charges being brought against him.

HOLD 170 FOR BOMB EXPLOSION

LISBON, March 20.—One hundred and seventy Syndicalists are being held at Fort Sao Joao Barro, charged with causing bomb explosions. They have started a hunger strike.

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PUTTING DANVILLE ON THE MUSIC MAP.

The decision to have a Spring Musical Festival in Danville is one which will not only receive the endorsement of those who by training and by natural inclination get real pleasure out of good music but by others who have at comparatively rare intervals had the opportunity of hearing a first-class orchestral organization. The grouping of Danville's most powerful civic bodies in endorsing and underwriting the series of concerts points to the success of the undertaking and it is to be hoped sincerely that support will be given to the festival in order that it may be perpetuated. It will be an experiment in music, the success of which will be judged by results and if the coming of one of the finest orchestras in the country with nationally known soloists wins support the Danville festival may become an annual affair.

It is to be supposed that the orchestra will be accompanied here by its leader, Leopold Stokowski, who recently was awarded the \$10,000 prize offered by Edward W. Bok to the person in Philadelphia who contributed an act or a service calculated to advance best the interests of that city. It was a notable award and was based largely on the fame derived by Philadelphia in the international world of music by the man who built up the playing organization to its present pitch. Thus the selection of the Philadelphia orchestra for the two-night concerts and the matinee, supported by the Danville Choral Society, will have added interest.

Efforts should be made, we believe, to interest the surrounding towns and communities in the musical event. Patronage should not be wholly restricted to Danville and by judicious advertising the field from which to draw support can be enlarged and the chances of success greatly increased.

The decision to use the tabernacle for the concert is a good one. The stage is especially well adapted for the grouping of the orchestra and the chorus and the acoustics of the hall are not bad. May, however, we suggest that the promoters of the festival take in hand the comfortable seating of the audience. The wooden benches of the tabernacle have never been comfortable and the joy of good music will be spoiled to hundreds with the middle vertebrae wracked by the angle of the wooden backs. This suggestion we believe will meet with response especially by those who have attended revival services and other events in the tabernacle.

PARAGRAPHS.

- Lots of women think Easter Sunday is Decoration Day.
- This buck they are passing with the bop is the buck private.
- All we have gotten out of the garden so far is chickens.
- St. Louis is building a \$12,000,000 water works, which, no doubt will soak the public.
- Fine thing about jazz by wireless is they can play in gym suits.
- Take care of your sense and your dollars will take care of you.
- "Elevate the Pedestrian" headlines The Digest. Speeders do.
- In the spring a young man's fancy doesn't fancy work.
- One way to keep a friendship is return it.
- Eskimos have one day and one night a year. They are expecting tomorrow next month.
- "My wife is my partner," says W. L. George. What partner, George?
- Those getting in on the ground floor often find there's no elevator.
- Even if they did write the treaty again, would it answer?
- Sweden has started a rat war. That's rough on rats.
- Looks like everything they invent makes a noise.
- British Jailed Gandhi to stop the proper Gandhi.
- A man whose mind was blank for 12 years has recovered, so it is too late for him to run for Congress.
- Lenine says he can't sleep. That's nothing, his followers can't eat.
- Chorus girl says she married a millionaire's son for a lark. Now he is a dead bird.
- They are abolishing one-piece bathing suits. One from one leaves nothing.
- When some people work for a man they leave out the "for."

Scoop's Colyum

DRAKES BRANCH, March 21.—(Grapevine Wireless.)—We will now present some blankety blank verse entitled: **JOY RIDING.**
Come on, fellows, all pile in—just a little pleasurable spin. Out of neutral into low, second and back and off we go. Yep, we took that corner fast; nearly hit the guy we passed. See that look he gave to us? Cranky, old, slow-speeder, cuss! Any-way, we're out of town where you have to creep around. Now, old gal, come take your juice, limber up and cut'er loose. Aint she hittin' fine, though boys? Slips along with-out a noise. See me hit that farmer's dog? Felt like it might be a log. Dogs should keep themselves inside when a feller wants to ride. Clippin' now at sixty-two. Think it's fast enough for you? Gosh, we almost hit that cur; but he thinks we're going far. Wonder how he likes to eat dust kicked up by this gal's feet. There's another piggie dead; caught him right behind the head. See that bunch of feathers fly? Well chicken's got to die. ****What? You are a nurse, you say? Then where am I, anyway? Hospital! We had a wreck! Lost my head, but saved my neck.

Another Poetical Lie.
I don't see how a loafer can Just idle time away.
I like to rise at five each morn And work hard all the day.

Don't make the Old Man tell a lie—maybe he was meeting with the Ku Klux Klan last night.

A New York publication is offering \$100 for the best story setting forth why and how you were married. The publication is playing safe. No one remembers "why," says Gray Smooney.

Improving Nicely.
An exchange reports that a prominent child, who has been seriously ill for some time, is now able to sit on his veranda.

"Night Hawk" is said to be the most popular office in the Ku Klux Klan. Lots of wives believe their husbands hold this job the way they stay out nights.

The gin mill is gone but the dance hall is here, with the jazz music and near beer, says Spixie.

Mr. Adam.
He didn't have a stylish wife. Who followed all of fashion's fads. With those new-fangled skirts and shoes. She never beggared his accounts By running bills of large amounts For costly plumes and four-foot hats And fancy high-heeled shoes and mats And evening gowns of texture fair. She wore no jewels in her hair. She never had a desire to skip To Europe for a summer trip.

In social realms she didn't shine And she had to stand in line At well reception dressed to kill. There was no unpaid modiste's bill. Though like all women everywhere, She never sulked about that fact, But got along with wondrous tact. The servant problem plagued her not. She never worried over her lot. Or caused a single family jar. Because she had no touring car. And last, but not the least to note, She didn't even want to vote.

When little Percival arrived at school he carried the following note: "Dear Teacher: Our little Percival is a very delicate child, and if he is naughty—and he is apt to be naughty at times—just punish the boy next to him and that will frighten him so he'll be good."

Risky.
People who live in glass houses shouldn't make hooch.

Fashion Note.
New hats will be trimmed with skunk fur. That's sensible.

Testimonial.
Dear Doctor: I am truly grateful for the results your most wonderful medicine brought to me. My back was so weak that I was unable to climb the stairs to my bedroom, but after taking three bottles of your splendid preparation my husband put in an elevator.

(Signed) Mrs. J. R. Well.

One of the medical journals says Indigestion causes people to lie. Here's a chance for somebody. Pink pills for prevaricators.

Fact.
Wealth does not make men humble, Bill.

A thoughtful man declares: You'll find the hell to millions will Put on a million airs.

"What has become of the girl you were mad in love to in the hammock last summer?"
"We fell out."

Who remembers back when motor car thieves used to wait until you got out of your car before they stole it?

LOVES ARRIVAL
Oh, heart, why dost thou not awaken?
Dost thou not know that thy desire is here?
Have all the years of hope deferred
Canst not revive thee to joys once held dear?

Awake, dear heart, cast off thy doubts.
Love's bedside and grieves that thou dost waste
Have wrongs undressed and cruel self-denial
Hardened thee, that thine own cometh too late?

Oh, heart, arouse thee from thy sleeping.
Pray to thy God that thou shalt yet be fair.
Know thy pure hope awaits for its fulfillment.
Love seeks thy arms, and needs thy tender care.

—Della Hyde, in Kansas City Star.

RIGHT NAME NOLAN
ATLANTA, Ga., March 20.—The right name of J. C. Moore, killed today at Trenton, N. J., by a constable, was John Nolan. It was said at police headquarters here tonight. Nolan was convicted here of burglary in 1920 and sent to the state farm at Milledgeville from which he escaped December 15, 1921.

ORIOLES START FOR WINSTON-SALEM, N. C.
BALTIMORE, Md., March 20.—Headed by Manager Jack Dunn, the Baltimore Orioles left tonight for their training camp at Winston-Salem, N. C. The first squad went South a week ago.

Labor And Capital Partners!

THIS WORKER ALSO A DIRECTOR

JOHN W. McELROY, yardman, was elected to the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company's board of directors as the outcome of the victory of President Thomas E. Mitten over five insurgent directors. Mitten sought to oust his "one-man management" plan. Mitten, idolized by his employees and called "miracle man," says "one-man leadership" because the men backed him. Believing the unprecedented action in placing a worker on the board of directors is significant of labor's new role, McElroy has given the Bee, through NEA Service the accompanying signed statement:

BY JOHN W. McELROY,
Employee of Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, elected to its Board of Directors.

PHILADELPHIA, March 21.—I am a yardman in charge of materials and teams for Philadelphia Rapid Transit construction work. I work 10 hours a day.

People tell me I am the first workman to be lifted out of the ranks to membership in a corporation's board of directors.

I am glad, not because of personal glory, but because I believe this marks a new era in the relations between labor and capital.

It is a great step forward. It opens a wide avenue to the solution of the labor-capital problem. To my mind it sets an example that other corporations—street car lines, railroads, industries—ought to follow.

A few years ago the very idea of an employee on the board of directors would have been called anarchistic. Today it is a reality.

CO-OPERATION ON COMMITTEE PLAN
For years under the management of Thomas E. Mitten, the P. R. T. has had co-operation in departmental committee meetings. Other companies have similar systems. I know how successful it is because, as president of the Co-operative Welfare association, I have attended many of these meetings since 1919.

But labor's actual membership in the board of directors is greater yet. I think it means the end of strikes. It is a partnership.

I believe this spirit of co-operation will spread once employers find what it means to them to have labor and capital closely bound together and working for the common good. Without it they misunderstand each other.

11,000 WORKERS HAVE INTEREST IN COMPANY
A few months ago our welfare association bought 10,000 shares of stock in the P. R. T. for \$24,000. Today that stock is worth \$250,000.

RICKARD'S TRIAL BEGINS—FORCED TO GO TO JAIL

NEW YORK, March 20.—Tex Rickard, boxing promoter, was locked up tonight in Tombs prison, where he will have to spend all his nights until his trial on an indictment charging criminal assault on 15-year-old girl ends. The trial started today. He appeared noticeably dejected as he was taken across the "bridge of sighs" by two deputy sheriffs. He said before his trial began that he was anxious for it to be "over with" soon. Eight jurors had been accepted when Justice Wasservogel adjourned court for the day. Each juror was asked on examination whether he knew Kermit Roosevelt, indicating that the son of former President Roosevelt would be called as a character witness by Rickard.

ATTEMPTS MADE REMOVE JUROR IN ARBUCKLE TRIAL

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Attempts of the prosecution to remove Juror Edward J. Brown, on the ground of bias and prejudice, although he had already been accepted and sworn, were made today in the third trial of Roscoe C. Arbuckle on a manslaughter charge. A recess was called on two occasions during the day because of the matter, the first to allow the defense to prepare an argument in the juror's support, and the second to allow the court to make an independent investigation following arguments.

Assistant District Attorney Friedman at the opening of the session announced that prosecution wished to exercise its last peremptory challenge on Brown. A supporting affidavit stated that the juror, a grocer, had been twice prosecuted for alleged violations of the state pure food laws and that he held a prejudice therefore against District Attorney Brady the prosecuting officer. The defense attorney, Gavin McNab, answered that as the district attorney was cognizant of the fact that he would have challenged Brown before he was finally sworn and that it would be a violation of the law to excuse the juror at this time. The court was under the opinion that his decision, which is expected tomorrow, would be of a great precedent. The Brown development halted the selection of a second alternate juror.

KENDALL BONDS ARE DESTROYED

RICHMOND, Va., March 20.—More of the old "Kendall" bonds, ordered by the State and then refused were burned by the sinking fund commissioners here today. They had been sent here from New York for redemption. The bonds were worthless, having no names for State officers and lack the seal of the State. The bonds when refused by the State were sold as junk, some of them falling into the hands of sharpers who have been selling a few for several years.

FIVE WILL BE TRIED FOR KILLING OF ONE

MILLEN, Ga., March 20.—R. H. Chance, his son, Roscoe Chance, two Rowe boys, nephews of Chance, and W. R. Lewis, another relative will be placed on trial in the Jenkins county superior court today for the murder of Watson Allen, a well known Jenkins county planter.

The alleged shooting occurred on Christmas night. The defendants claim a self-defense. The defendants had many months and was true it is said, to a dispute over the use of a road running through Allen's land.



John W. McElroy, yardman elected a director of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co., his wife and youngest of eight children. He represents 11,000 workers on the board.

ATTITUDE OF UNION LABOR

I don't know what union labor leaders will think of it. You know, we have no union here. That is, we are not affiliated with the national street car men's union or the American Federation of Labor. But we do not regard ourselves as non-union men. In our Co-operative Welfare association we have a union that has turned out to be a mighty good one.

I'll have no ax to grind as a director. My sole idea is to do my duty. I look upon myself as first of all a representative of the men—and a stockholder afterward. I'm just a trustee for the employees. I'm a workman, not a plutocrat—and I'm not going to let this director business go to my head.

Labor has a new deal. We're setting the pace, and I hope it will mean something to labor everywhere. (Copyright, 1922, by NEA Service.)

BURBANK'S BETTER GARDEN TIPS THE SOIL

ARTICLE NO. 2.



MRS. LUTHER BURBANK ILL DEN TIPS. USTRATES HER HUSBAND'S GARDENING.

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SPADE your ground early!
This is of vital importance. Remember that texture in the soil is probably as important as all the other things put together.

So spade your ground early and let it rest. Work in a little stable manure and some sifted ashes, or leaf mould is good. But LET THE GROUND REST!

I stress these points for this reason: with your soil once loosened and ready, the air should be allowed to get in. This gives the soil life. Soil needs air just as do humans. The air MUST get down and be ready for the young plants. Little time is necessary for the soil to get the full advantage of the air.

Too many beginners turn their soil and immediately start to plant. Don't begin making use of the earth the moment you have turned it over.

Give the soil a chance and your garden will be the better for it.

PLANT NEEDS

THE average impression is, particularly among beginners, that plants get their food chiefly from the earth.

As a matter of fact they take little food from the soil, extracting a great deal of carbon from the air which, plus sunlight and oxygen and other chemical foods, go to make up the plant.

And that brings us back to the matter of watering the garden. DON'T GIVE THEM TOO MUCH WATER!

In fact, it's often best to be a bit stingy with them. I have commented on how plants resemble humans and here we have demonstration. Let them GET THIRSTY and they will appreciate water all the more when they get it.

Don't water the garden each day. That is a mistake made by all beginners.

In many eastern States the rains provide practically enough water to



THE RIDER OF THE GOLDEN BAR

WILLIAM PATTERSON WHITE
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(Continued From Our Last Issue.)
He saw beyond the table Fritz Craft with a gun in each hand. The gambler's face, despite the tears that overflowed his eyes and ran down his cheeks, was fairly murderous.

"Tip! Where are you? Don't you move, Billy!" Craft was saying, the barrels of his two guns waving to and fro. "Get out of the room! Get out that door, Billy! Don't you try and get away. I can see you."

Billy leaned forward, picked up a fork from his setout on the table and found it across the room. It fell with a clatter. Craft fired at the sound. The next instant Billy kicked him under the chin and flattened him out. Put your hands behind you, Tip," he directed.

Tip answered the question by halting his groping way toward the speaker. He stood still, his body swaying, his muscular fingers locked in the palms of his hands. Billy stooped over the senseless Craft and whipped off his neckerchief.

Tip hesitated, then suddenly he thrust his hand behind him. Billy slipped around him, laid his six-shooter on a chair seat and drew the handkerchief beneath Tip's crossed wrists. The next instant Tip had whirled about, crowding his body against Billy and struck outside with all his might. In an instant Tip was on top and Billy underneath. The older man jammed both thumbs into Billy's windpipe and choked him.

The strangling Billy spread wide his legs, hunched up his knees, planted both feet against Tip's ribs and straightened his legs with a jerk. Tip's arms were torn loose from Billy's throat and Tip himself crashed backward against the wall.

Billy scrambled to his feet and without the slightest hesitation he pelted Tip over the head with the barrel of his six-shooter. Tip remained where he was. Billy stood over him, mistle poised, till he made sure he was unresponsive. Then he turned and made fast the trio's respective arms and legs with strips torn from a nightgown belonging to Sam.

It was his laudable intention to pack the unconscious Fritz into a closet and jail him for the stagecoach robbery. It was a bold plan, but Billy always rather favored the bold plan. With Craft in jail and wearing the clothing worn by the robber, Billy, clothing the complainant Jerry Fern and his passengers would undoubtedly be prepared to swear, it would be hard indeed if Bill could not fasten the robbery on him.

It must have been his good angel who caused him to look through the front window. He looked and saw a cloud of horsemen galloping toward the ranch house. He immediately recognized, to his great disgust, half a dozen of Sam Larder's punchers.

He abandoned the plan of taking Fritz to the police station. He would be hard put to escape himself. Billy topped his mount, struck in the spurs and fled. The other horse he perforce left standing.

NATE SAMSON, weighing sugar for Hazel Walton, looked at her sideways. "Heard the news, Hazel?" Red Herring, the town marshal, slouching against a showcase, covertly watched the girl.

"Somebody killed Tip O'Gorman in his own house last night," said Nate. Hazel wondered why Sam's eyes never left her face. "Tip O'Gorman? He was one of Uncle Tom's friends. Who did it?"

"They found Bill Wingo's quilt on the floor beside the body, right inside the door. A skin hat and the whole town knows belongs to Bill."

Hazel's cheeks began to glow. "That doesn't prove anything," she declared in a level voice. Hazel's black eyes were glittering through slitted eyelids. Really, Nate Samson should have been warned. "You think Bill did it?" asked Hazel Walton.

Nate nodded. "So does everybody else." "At any rate," Nate pursued with relish, "there's a warrant out for Bill."

"Another warrant?" Hazel's hand moved imperceptibly nearer a cheese-knife that lay on the counter. "Another warrant? That makes three counts he's wanted on—stage robbery, rustling that chestnut horse of Sam Larder's and now this murder. I always said Bill Wingo was too good to be true."

Hazel Walton made no further remark. She reached for the cheese-knife. Nate Samson ducked under the counter. The cheese-knife whirled within an inch of his prickling scalp and stuck quivering in the edge of a shelf.

"Linn!" announced Hazel in a loud, unsympathetic tone. "I'm only sorry I haven't a gun with me. Talking like that about a man you're not fit to say hello to. Here, I don't want any of this stuff!"

So saying, she toppled over her whole pile of wrapped purchases and marched out of the store. The marshal followed her to the door. "She's gone over to the other store."

Arrived home, Hazel unhitched and unharnessed, turned the team into the corral and carried dumped them into the kitchen. She hung up her man's hat and fluffed the hair by the aid of the mirror that hung below the Terry clock. She had always liked the Terry clock—from the cheerful painted pumpkins and grapes that graced the patterned drape to the peculiar throbbing ring it gave on striking the hour.

And on a day the old clock was destined to repay that liking full measure, pressed down and running over.

"Lo, Hazel," she said smilingly, as a face appeared at the door. "Put your horse in the corral and come. You look mad, dear," she continued.

"I am," declared Hazel. "Listen to what I'll tell you in town this morning. Nate told me—"

"—there now," she concluded. "What do you think of that for a put-up job? Why, it's not even clear!"

"No," agreed Sally Jane. "Too many articles belonging to Bill. Either the quilt or the hat, but not both of them. Tip had enemies, several. But I'm afraid the gang won't take that into consideration—much. All they'll be able to see is the quilt and the hat."

Confound it, Bill shouldn't have disappeared this way. All his friends knew he didn't—couldn't have either held up the stage or really rustled Sam Larder's precious horse, which by the way, was put up to the cars near Sam's corral this morning. Fact, dad told me. But why didn't Bill say and know the music? He should have known he'd only hurt himself by running this service given by the cars of the traction company.

"But I rode over here especially to bring you back with me to stay as long as you like."

Hazel shook her head. "Can't, dear. I'd like nothing better, but I've just got to look after the ranch."

When Sally Jane was gone, Hazel started a fire in the stove, put on the coffee pot and ground up enough coffee for four cups. She liked coffee, did Hazel Walton.

Bacon and potatoes were sputtering on the stove when the faintest of puffs of steam made her look up. She did not move, just stood there staring stupidly at the bareheaded man that blocked the open doorway. For the bareheaded man was Dan Slike, his harsh face rendered even less prepossessing than usual by a week's stubble of beard. A six-shooter was in Dan Slike's hand, and the barrel was pointing at her breast. "Don't go makin' any move toward that rifle on the hooks back of you," said Dan Slike, slipping into the room and closing the door behind him. "If you do, I'll have to beef you. Dislodge that grub a-lying there on the stove. I'm hungry. Get a move on."

At that she turned in a flash and reached for the Winchester. She had barely opened the door when Dan Slike was beside her. With his left hand he seized the gun barrel and shoved it upward. And as he did so, he smote her across the top of the head with his pistol barrel.

A rocketing sheet of sparks danced before her eyes and her knees gave away. He dragged the Winchester from her hand. She felt a little nauseated. Hazel slowly raised her body to a sitting position. She clung to a leg of the table for support. She passed a hand very tenderly across the top of her head. She felt a little nauseated. Dan Slike, watching her with hard, bright eyes, strode to the stove and poured himself out a cup of coffee. "You'll be all right in about 10 minutes," he said calmly. "I didn't hit you so awful hard."

He drank the coffee slowly, with evident enjoyment. She came and looked over her hands on hips, and looked down at her grimly. She shrank away, her wide eyes fixed upon him in fright and loathing.

It was evident that he found his survey of her satisfactory, for he kicked her in the side. Not hard. Simply as an earnest of what lay in store for her. "Get up," he commanded.

The nausea and most of the dizzy feeling had evaporated. She was perfectly able to get up, but it was intolerable that she should be the bidding of her uncle's murderer. She continued to lie still.

"Get up," he repeated, and kicked her again—harder.

She got up, grasping a hand at her side. She felt as though one of her ribs was broken.

She had set the table for herself before he came in. Hazel had placed a plate with bacon and fried potatoes. She brought him another cup of coffee and placed two spoons of milk and the sugar within his reach.

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The book that is today the best seller in the United States and England, "If Winter Comes" by A. S. M. Hutchinson. First instalment in The Bee, Monday, March 27.

ONE YEAR IN HEAVEN
(In memory of Mrs. L. A. Patrick, who died March 21st, 1921.)
And has thou been away from us a year.
What have the happy Angels told thee dear.
As here below, the months have gone on hips, and days on hands?
What joys undreamed of hast thou found?

So long, so long, it seems since thou wert here.
And yet strange contradiction, still so near.
One moment sharing all our earthly lot,
Then gone, as if thou were, and then were not.

Art thou a gentle spirit undefined,
Still, as in the days of old, God's little child?
Or, art thou now a being high and great,
Gazing with pity on our low estate?

And did they throng to greet thee on that shore.
Thy heart's beloved, who had gone to meet thee?
Dost thou now with them hold communion sweet
And thus the bliss of vanished years repeat?

Hast thou the problem solved which once did vex
Even thy quiet faith, which yet perplex?
Our weary minds and hearts this side the good?
Dost thou now comprehend the "Perfect Good?"

If thou couldst open to our eyes
The light of thy serene and pure delight,
Couldst send one little word across the tide,
Then would these yearnings deep be satisfied.

Still in the vision sealed from our dull eyes
Save this "hear us today in Paradise."
Enough, we will not ask to hear or see
Or know, since thou art with the Lord, and He with thee.

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Danville P. O. Fight Reaches U. S. Senate

(Continued from page one)

of Frank D. Lumpkin as acting postmaster at Danville in order to determine if the intent and letter of the laws and regulations governing postmaster appointments have been violated there. He has requested the postoffice department to furnish the subcommittee with all the papers connected with the Danville case, Senator Townsend admitted.

Senator Swanson's attack came during debate over a section of the postoffice appropriations bill which provided for appointment of 100 additional postoffice inspectors. Chairman Townsend asserted, in reply to Swanson's inquiry, that they are to be appointed to investigate numerous thefts in the postal service in recent years that have not been run down owing to lack of inspectors.

Senator Swanson declared there are enough inspectors now and that no more would be needed if these on the payroll would be put to the work intended for them instead of spending all their time on political errands, chiefly, or preparing frivolous charges on which to oust Democratic postmasters before their terms are up in order to make places for Republicans.

"These inspectors have been put to work in Virginia to bring political charges against upright, efficient Democratic postmasters, who stand high in the community, in order to have them dismissed before their terms expire to make way for Republicans," declared Senator Swanson.

"At Danville a Republican was put in as acting postmaster and is being kept in office in violation of the laws although he could not pass the examination."

Senator Swanson said he has asked the committee to investigate situations at five or six other postoffices in Virginia. Chairman Townsend said he would have his committee investigate charges by any Senator of alleged violation of the law in postmaster appointments.

Senator Swanson asserted during the debate in the Senate that, in view of Chairman Townsend's promise to investigate every charge brought of irregularities in postmaster appointments in Virginia, he had decided for the present not to press for adoption of the resolution he introduced in the Senate a month ago, providing for a congressional investigation of postmaster appointments. There was considerable doubt that the Swanson resolution could have passed.

WILL HUNT RUM-RUNNERS BY WIRELESS IS PLAN

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Rum runners along the Canadian border will be hunted by wireless according to advice received today by Commissioner Haynes from Colonel Roy C. Vandercrook, head of the Michigan Department of Public Safety.

A system of wireless communication Colonel Vandercrook said, will be installed along the length of the Canadian-Michigan border as a part of the concerted campaign by United States and Canadian officials against the illicit importation of liquor in this country.

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Is Woman the Eternal Temptation? Is Man the Compendium Of Virtue?



IS WOMAN THE ETERNAL TEMPTATION? IS MAN THE COMPENDIUM OF VIRTUE? THAT'S THE THEORY OF THIS MARBLE GROUP BY MACMONNIES, SCULPTED FOR CITY HALL, NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, March 21.—Shall "Civic Virtue" be given the ozone?

The ladies are overfussing about him. Ladies' men are doing ditto. "Civic Virtue" is a gent with a stone "man" at "shoulder arms" The sword completes his costume.

At the moment he's one-stepping right over two young women. You might think at first they were 1922 mappers, but a closer inspection—Now, now, let's be broadminded!

One young woman has the top story of a family skeleton in her fair hand, in architectural vrilage, the dome. The other young lady has a net. You might think she was fishing for fish. But that shows you don't know anything about art. She's just fishing for a poor fish! There is a difference.

Frederick MacMonnies figured it out thus: "Woman always has been the eternal temptation. Eve, for instance! So I'll make 'Civic Virtue' a man—but no Adam. And I'll have him romp over the temptresses, darn 'em."

The thing is being sculpted in heroic size to occupy some tax-exempt terrain in City Hall Park. It might have been sad into place without

more than a cuss word or two by the careful movers, only—

Some of the ladies got the notion the thing gave their sex a raw deal. So they began to sing Mr. C. Virtue and Mr. MacMonnies the razz chorus. Now Mayor Hylan isn't sure whether C. Virtue is really fit for public exposure. So he's getting opinions.

The women are divided. EXAMPLE NO. 1.—Neyva McMein, the artist, says, "Well, if women don't lure, who will? And we have to have lures, don't we. If there were no temptations, there would be no virtues. Any man who could walk over a real lady-lure with a net and everything ought to be done in marble—or concrete."

EXAMPLE NO. 2.—Mrs. Charles Tiffany, chairman of the League of Women Voters for Manhattan Borough, says, "The allegory as presented by MacMonnies evidences a misconception. True, in the old conception woman did stand for temptation. But today the great hope of the body politic lies in woman's civic virtue."

Mayor Hylan wants everybody's views. To reject a job by MacMonnies takes a stout heart.

Treaty Debate Becomes Bitter

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Senate debate on the four-power Pacific pact touched its bitter water mark of bitterness today in an exchange resulting from suggestions of a secret British-American understanding for future cooperation.

Aroused by recurring references to such an international understanding after its existence had been directly denied, Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, the Republican leader and a member of the American arms delegation took the floor and in a voice shaken by emotion declared he could no longer be patient under attacks which seemed to question his patriotism and impugn his honor.

Replying in a fashion scarcely less dramatic, Senator Robinson, Democrat, Arkansas, an opponent of the treaty, told the Senate he questioned no one's motives but proposed to do his patriotic duty as he saw it without permitting himself to be "intimidated by outbursts of indignation." He remained convinced, he said, that both of the Senate's representatives on the delegation were "amplely ignorant" of some of the things done at the conference.

The exchange between Senators Lodge and Robinson, which was part of the long debate soon broadcast with charges of "slander," "untruths," and "propaganda," took place shortly after the Republican leader and other prominent figures in his party organization canvassed the whole treaty situation at a White House conference with President Harding.

The presence of so many party chiefs at the conference led to the impression that they discussed with the president the possible injection of the arms conference treaty into the coming congressional campaign, but some of the senators who attended afterward said that the primary purpose was to give Mr. Harding the latest information as to the line on the four treaty ratification vote to be taken Friday. It was said he president reiterated his acceptance of the "alliance" negotiation drafted by the foreign relations committee and was told there were enough votes pledged to ratify the treaty on that basis.

Late in the day the president also called in two Democratic senators, Smith of South Carolina and Kendrick of Wyoming for a discussion of the treaty situation. At the same time administration officials reiterated that the treaties were certain to be ratified but did not indicate whether or not additional Democrats were sought or the status of reservations was under consideration.

Suggestion of a British-American understanding for future concerted action was thrown into the Senate debate by Senator Borah, Republican, Idaho, who read a statement regarding the conference results he said had been made by Paul D. Cravath, a New York attorney. In this statement Mr. Cravath was quoted as saying he had been told by "every member of the

American delegation" that the conference resulted in an unwritten understanding between the United States and Great Britain of such a character "that both sides assume that in all future emergencies they can both count on having the very closest cooperation."

The accuracy of this assertion was promptly denied by Senator Lodge, and by Senator Underwood, of Alabama, the Democratic leader, and also a member of the American delegation. Senator Underwood said he did not recall ever having met Mr. Cravath and Senator Lodge declared he never talked with him on the subject.

Both asserted positively and directly that so far as they knew no such understanding existed or ever had been discussed.

CRAVATH DENIES HE MADE STATEMENT

NEW YORK, March 20.—Paul D. Cravath tonight issued a statement denying he ever had said, as Senator Borah quoted him in the Senate, that there was an "unwritten agreement" that the United States and Great Britain should act together, "in an emergency in the Pacific."

"There is not the remotest foundation for the statement reported to have been made by Senator Borah in the Senate, in which my name was used," he said. "It is a pure romance. I cannot make my denial too strong and unequivocal."

DROP IN SUGAR PRICES CERTAIN

NEW YORK, March 20.—Claus A. Speckles, president of the Federal Sugar Refining company who has just returned from Europe tonight predicted an early drop in sugar prices.

The recent price advance in raw sugar, he said, stimulated further sugar production in Europe, with the result that prices in America will decrease with falling off of the European demand.

"I look at the recent advance as a 'dash in the pan,'" Mr. Speckles said. "A reaction is inevitable. All European countries will be self supporting as regards sugar within a few months and the demand for export sugar from the western hemisphere will decrease."

LEONARD OUTPOINTS HIS OPPONENT IN BOUT

BOSTON, March 20.—Benny Leonard, world's lightweight champion, boxed ten rounds in an exhibition contest with Johnny Clifton, New England lightweight title holder here tonight. No decision was given. Leonard outboxed his opponent without extending himself. Clifton covering often and seldom aggressive, had the better of only one round, the seventh.

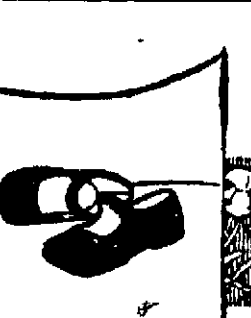
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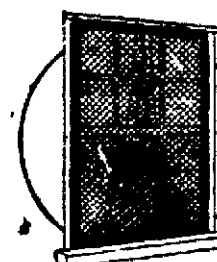
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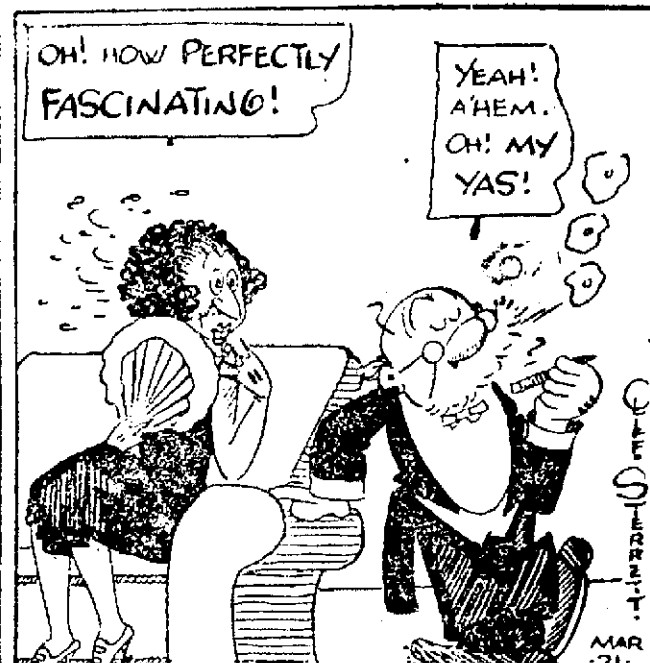
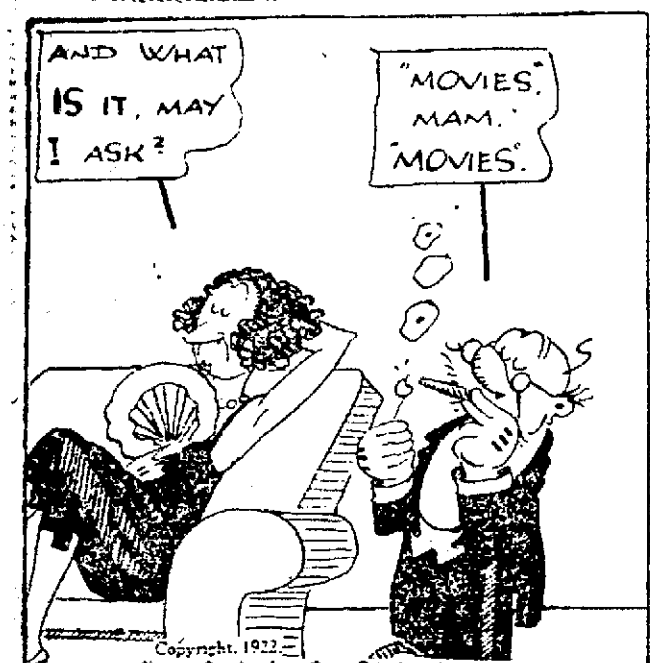
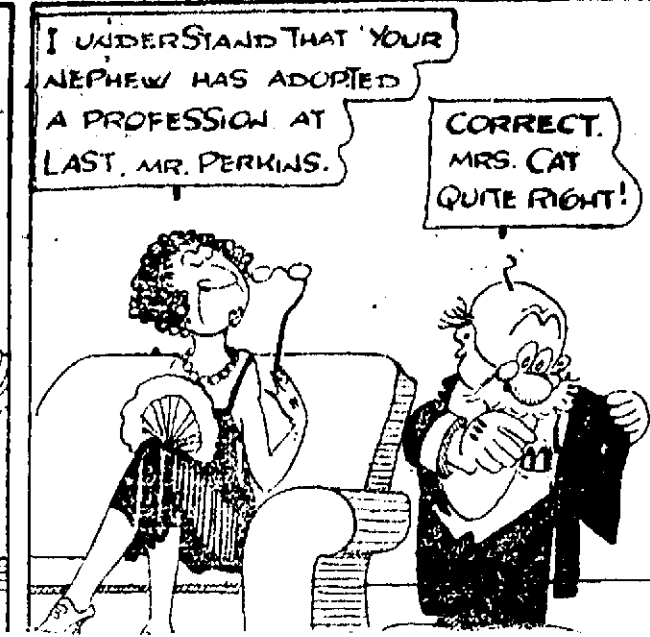
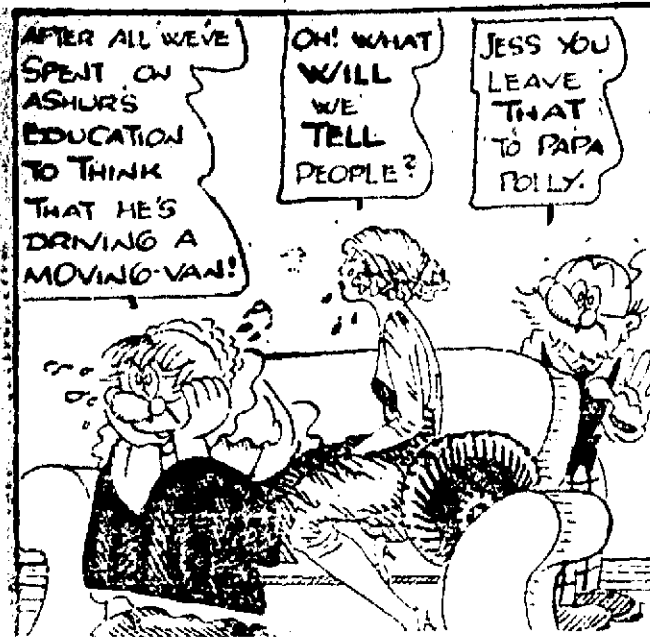
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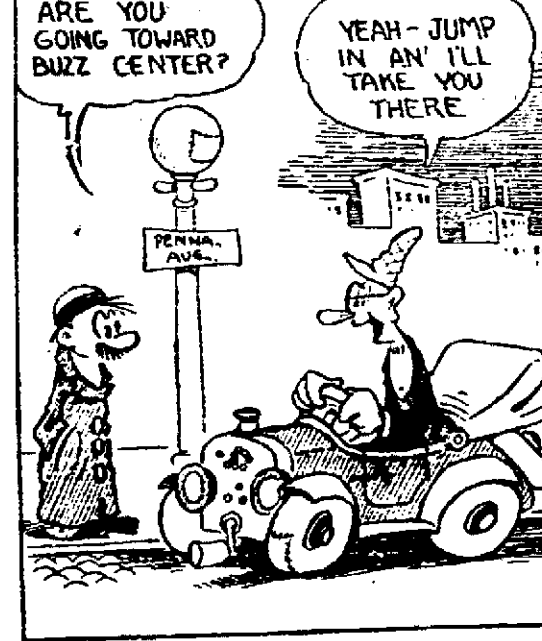
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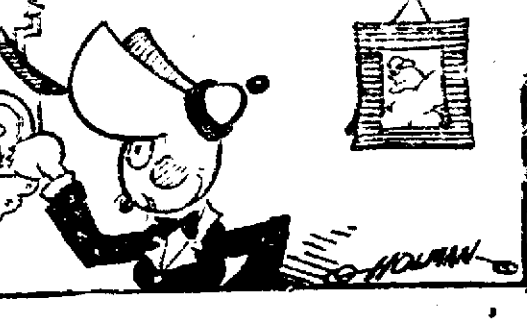
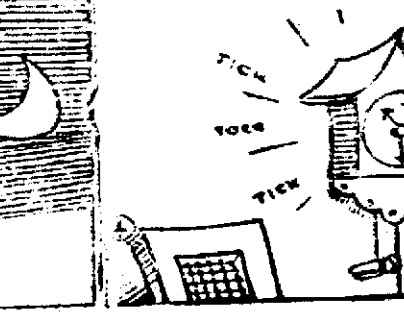
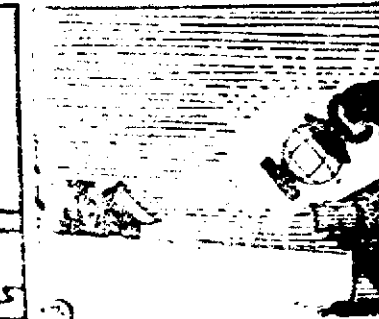
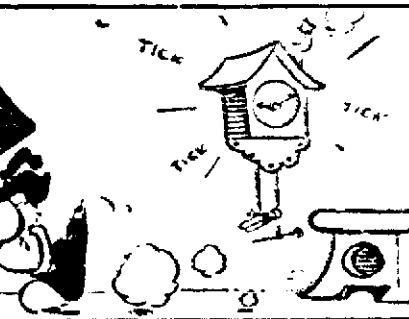
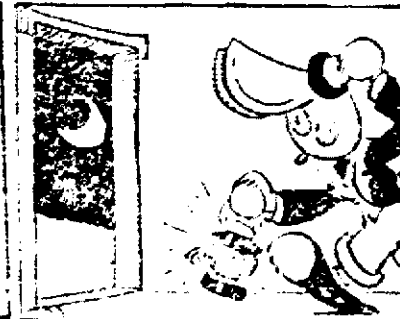
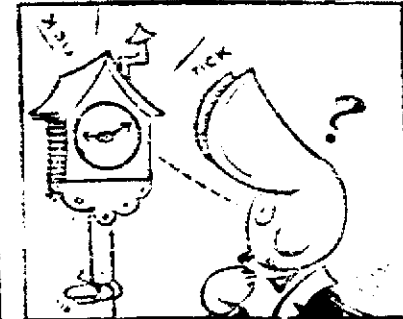
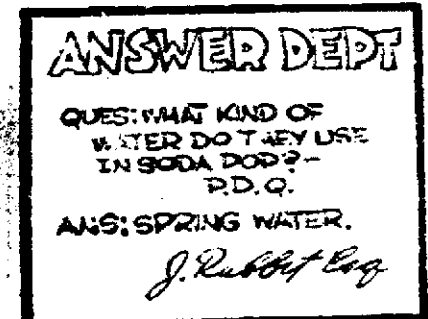
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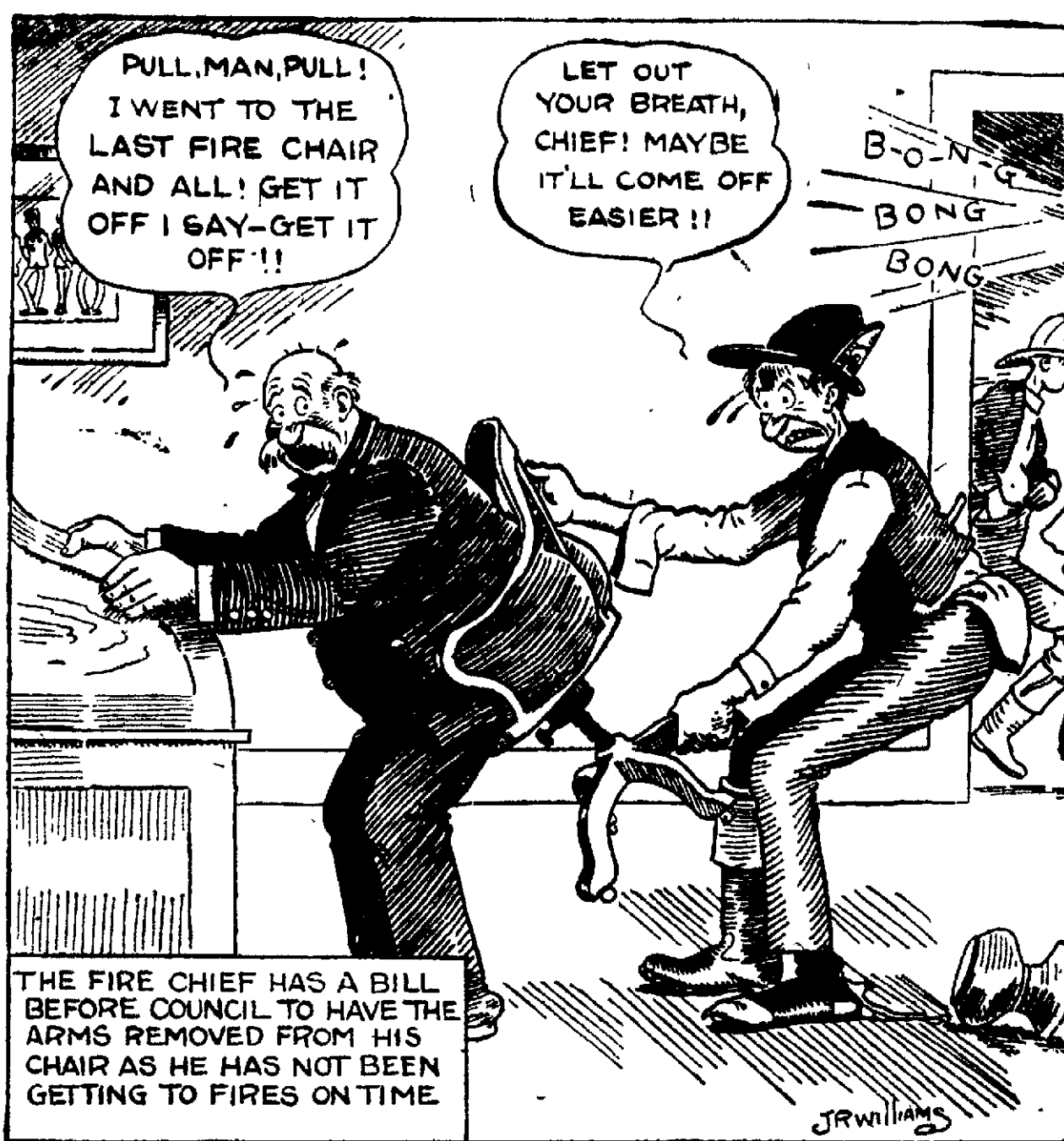
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Crubert Leaves Federal Forces

RICHMOND, Va., March 20.—With the declaration from Washington that there shall be a sweeping investigation into the allegation that there are many "higher ups" in the moon-shining business in Virginia, there are signs of uneasiness in several cities. There has been complaint for a long time that in some of the counties and some of the cities the prohibition officers were not getting the support that State and local officers were expected to give.

Commissioner Smith, the State prohibition officer, has been referring to employment of the ouster law. Now, with the statement coming from the federal forces that the probe will be set deep, there is a belief that the agents of the department at Washington may have been at work for several weeks, and only the beginning of the probe will disclose what has been done.

FLOOD WARNINGS ARE ISSUED IN GEORGIA

MACON, Ga., March 20.—Flood warnings for the Ocmulgee River at Macon, and the Ocmulgee River at Milledgeville, were sent out by the weather bureau here today. The Ocmulgee is expected to reach 15 feet at Macon tomorrow morning, and the Ocmulgee at Milledgeville 22 feet. Both rivers were rising rapidly tonight. Frost was also predicted for tomorrow morning, the first spring day. If the Ocmulgee reaches the stage predicted it will make the third flood stage during the month.

See Mr. Willis and his end man Friday and Saturday night at the Municipal Hall. Admission 50c and 75c.

NOTICE

The Law and Order League will meet at the Y. M. C. A. building tonight at 8 o'clock. The public is invited. All members are especially urged to attend.

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3-21B31

NOTICE JUNIORS

All members of J. E. B. Stuart Council No. 115, John Forbes Council No. 144 and W. P. Graves Council No. 50 are requested to be present at the band, O. U. A. M. Hall N. Main St., Wednesday night, March 22nd, at 8 o'clock p. m. Brother J. H. B. Peay, State Councilor of Virginia, will be with us. Also refreshments will be served.

By Order of Council,
R. L. GUNNELL,
Recording Sec.

3-20B21

Pursuant to terms of decree entered in the suit of Rufus Whitlock vs. Kate Whitlock and others, pending in the circuit court of Pittsylvania county, I shall sell to the highest bidder on the premises March 25, 1922, at 4:00 o'clock P. M. the lot with improvements, which was conveyed to John and Kate Whitlock by the Waddill-Holland Co., by deed recorded in D. B. 135 p. 498, in the said clerk's office. Said lot front 70 feet on South street and runs back 190 feet and lies near the corporate limits of the city of Danville.

Terms of sale: 1-3 cash and the remainder in 12 and 18 months with interest from sale, the purchaser giving notes for deferred payment, and title reserved until paid for.

B. H. CUSTER,
Special Commissioner.

State of Virginia,
Pittsylvania county, to-wit:
S. S. HURT, clerk of Circuit court of Pittsylvania county, do hereby certify that B. H. Custer, appointed a Special Commissioner by decree rendered in the case of Rufus Whitlock against Kate Whitlock and others at the November term, 1921, has given bond with security in the penalty of \$1,000.00, conditioned according to law.

Given under my hand this 14th day of January, 1922.

S. S. HURT,
Clerk of Circuit Court of Pittsylvania County.

3-17B31

ATTENTION ROYAL ARCH MASON

Attend a stated convocation of Euclid chapter, No. 15, R. A. M., to be held in the Elks' lodge room Tuesday, March 21, at 7:30 p. m.

E. G. ANDERSON, Sec.

3-21B31

TRUSTEES' SALE—Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust from J. H. Oliver and wife, dated March 10, 1917, recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of Danville, Va., in deed book 100 at page 85, default having been made in the payment of the debt therein secured, and at the request of the beneficiary in said deed, we will offer for sale at Public Auction on the premises, on Thursday, March 30th, 1922 at 3:30 o'clock P. M.

All of that certain lot of land, fronting 22 feet on Hill Street, 100 feet from the western side of Holbrook St., and running back 100 feet on the one side and 126 feet on the other to a rear of 166 feet being lot No. 154 on a map recorded in the above mentioned Clerk's Office in deed book 43 at page 353 and the same lot described in the above mentioned deed of trust.

TERMS: CASH.
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F. H. WHEATLEY,
Trustees.

3-18B101

AUCTION SALES

AUCTION

Will sell by auction at street of Piedmont Tailoring Co., 323 N. Union street, Wednesday, March 22, 1922 at 10:30 a. m. 1 typewriter, 1 mirror, 1 sewing machine, suits of clothes, overcoats, pants, suit patterns, tables and etc., taken as the property of Piedmont Tailoring Co. to satisfy execution and distress warrant in my hands.

R. M. Foster.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

Pursuant to terms of deed of trust to me as trustee to secure a certain note to C. M. Mahan, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, on Saturday, March 25, 1922, at 10:30 A. M., at the corner of Craghead and Patton streets, the following property:

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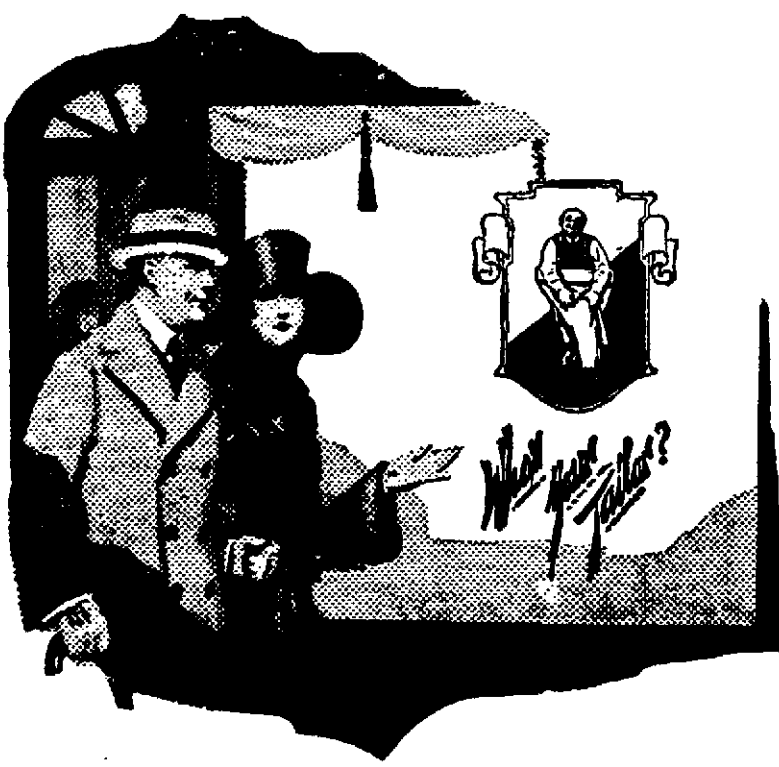
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DETROIT, March 21.—The assortment of "drunk and disorderlies," thieves and petty criminals in the Detroit House of Correction are feeling up in the world! Because they occupied the same quarters with a millionaire. The millionaire prisoner is John Duval Dodge, son of John Dodge one of the brothers who founded the auto plant here that bears their name. Young Dodge, who has \$1,500,000 in his own name, has just spent five days in the House of Correction under a sentence Judge Charles L. Bartlett imposed on him for speeding. The young millionaire drove to court in a costly limousine. But he didn't go back home in it—he went through the tunnel leading from the court room to the House of Correction. There an official asked him

routine questions put to any new prisoner. Occupation? None. "What's your occupation?" was one. "None!" the millionaire answered. Then the official issued to Dodge a gray checked shirt, gray trousers and a coat—his prison uniform. Dodge slept on a cot in a corridor where 49 other prisoners were quartered. The millionaire didn't have the luxury of a cell because they were all filled. A pillow and a blanket comprised his bedding. No sheets. Dodge had to rise in time to eat breakfast at 6:30 a. m. His breakfast consisted of rice, milk, bread and coffee. The only special privilege Dodge enjoyed was permission to take a shower bath when he entered jail. "But I slept well, Dodge said. "A fellow has to be a good sport sometimes, you know."

Would Recall Haiti Troops

WASHINGTON, March 20.—"The United States does not have the right to continue military occupation of Haiti and San Domingo," declared Col. George R. Shanton, chief of the insular police of Porto Rico, in an interview yesterday. Colonel Shanton, who has been chief of the Porto Rico insular police for 13 years, was an intimate friend of Theodore Roosevelt, and was the organizer of the Cuban constabulary after the Spanish-American war. At the request of Mr. Roosevelt, he "cleaned up" Panama, prior to building of the canal.

Following a conference with cabinet members and high officials of the state and navy departments, Colonel Shanton expressed the opinion that all American troops would be withdrawn from the dual republic within the next six months. "In this depends, however, upon the effort of the Dominicans to organize a stable government before that time," he said. Discussing military administration of the island government, which has aroused so much interest in the attitude of the United States toward Latin-American countries, Colonel Shanton said: "We were asked by the respective governments to go into San Domingo and Haiti to collect duties and pay a national debt. That job is finished, but we are staying to police the island. This is clearly beyond our rights, as the people do not want foreign troops to do this. We are keeping our Marines there against the expressed wish of the people."

Charges of atrocities by American troops in the island have caused widespread criticism in South American papers and in the United States. Colonel Shanton, who has made a personal investigation of conditions in the island, states that while stories of atrocities are exaggerated, United States troops have committed outrages against the populace. "In this connection it should be remembered," said Colonel Shanton, "that the so-called atrocities are practically always in retaliation of wrongs done by the natives."

Ties Himself to Boat and Drowns in River

STAUNTON, Va., March 20.—Tying a rope around his neck and making it fast to a boat on Middle river, a few yards from his house, Stuart Wagner, aged 40, prominent farmer of the Newhope section, drowned himself. His body was found several hours later by two little girls, who discovered the rope on the boat. He is survived by his wife and 12 children. A motive for his act has not been ascertained.

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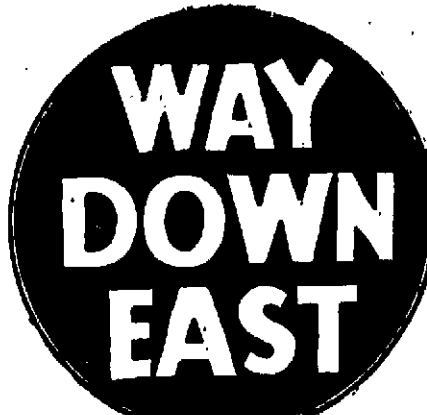
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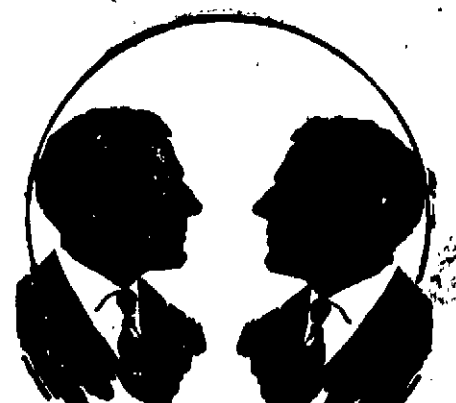
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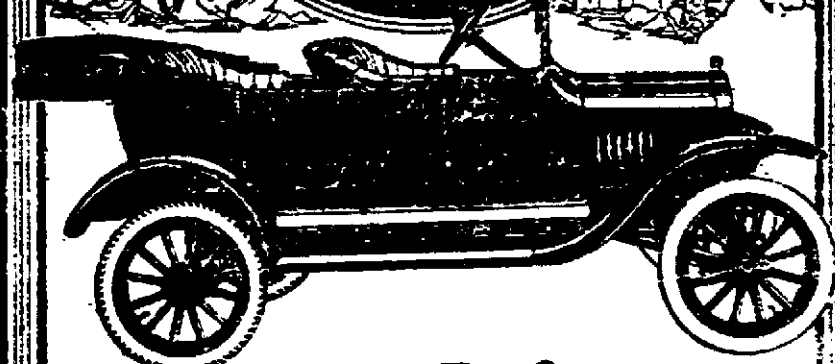
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